City of Torrance Community Services Department Recreation Division 3031 Torrance Blvd., Torrance CA 90503 618-2930

"Beat the Odds" 12th Annual "Achievement Awards" <u>Application</u>

(Application must be postmarked by Monday, March 23, 2009)

The application must include:

- Applicant must reside in the City of Torrance and attend a Torrance High School.
- This form; completed and all information submitted, please type or print and fill in all lines. Don't wait to late to obtain needed signatures.
- An essay, not to exceed two pages double spaced, from the applicant which states in what ways he/she has "overcome adversity". Include community and or school service. The essay should address the guidelines highlighted in page two of this packet.
- Two letters of recommendation, can be from a teacher, coach, counselor, advisor, or a member of the clergy (Pastor, Priest, Minister) only.
- An official copy of the applicant's high school transcript.

Student's Name		Age Sex Ethnicity
Address		
City, State, & Zip Code		
Home Phone	E-Mail Address	# Living in Household
High School		Cumulative G.P.A.
School Contact Person/Title		School Phone
Principal's Signature		 Date

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